BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Rulemaking on the Commission's Own Motion to Comply with the Mandates of Senate Bill 1712.

Rulemaking 01-05-046 (Filed May 24, 2001)

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING ON INTERVENOR COMPENSATION ISSUES

Due Date for Notices of Intent to Claim Compensation

Pursuant to Pub. Util. Code § 1804(a)(1) and Rule 76.74(a) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, the due date for notices of intent to claim compensation shall be October 29, 2001.

TURN's Showing of Significant Financial Hardship

In its notice of intent to claim compensation filed on August 20, 2001,¹ The Utility Reform Network (TURN) relied on the presumption created in Pub. Util. Code § 1804(b)(1) and a ruling issued in docket Application 00-09-002, dated September 29, 2000, for its showing of significant financial hardship. Based on the statutory presumption and the cited ruling, I find that TURN has made the

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¹ TURN's notice was timely and complete as required by Pub. Util. Code § 1804(a)(2)(A).

necessary showing of significant financial hardship and is eligible to file a request for an award of compensation in this proceeding.

IT IS SO RULED.

Dated October 1, 2001, at San Francisco, California.

/s/MARIBETH A. BUSHEY

Maribeth A. Bushey

Administrative Law Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have by mail this day served a true copy of the original attached Administrative Law Judge's Ruling On Intervenor Compensation Issues on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated October 1, 2001, at San Francisco, California.

/s/MAUREEN S. LITTLE
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